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SUBJECT: BAUXITE: FEASIBILITY STUDY FOR JAMAICA/GUYANA/
TRINIDAD SMELTER COMPLETED

ACCORDING TO THE JAMAICA DAILY NEWS, THE FEASIBILITY STUDY
FOR THE ALUMINUM SMELTER TO BE BUILT IN TRIINIDAD AND JOINTLY
FINANCED BY THE BIG THREE CARICOM COUNTRIES
HAS BEEN COMPLETED. THE STUDY WAS DONE BY THE NORWEGIAN FIRM,
NORCONSULT. THE STORY STATES THAT BOTH GOVERNMENT AND INDUSTRIAL
OFFICIALS FROM THE THREE COUNTRIES WILL MEET SOON TO
DISCUSS THE REPORT, FOLLOWING WHICH THE PRIME MINISTERS WILL
CONVENE A "MINI-SUMMIT" TO DISCUSS THE PROJECT
FURTHER AND TAKE THE NECESSARY POLITICAL DECISIONS. THE STORY
ALSO STATES THAT THERE HAS BEEN
CONCERN THAT THE PROJECT WAS BEING DELAYED BECAUSE OF
THE RELUCTANCE OF THE GOTT TO REDUCE THE PRICE OF NATURAL
GAS WHICH IS TO FUEL THE SMELTER.GERARD

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